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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF )

Hock Chye Gan et al. )

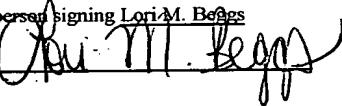
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**PETITION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a)**

Honorable Commissioner of  
Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

This application was filed as indicated above, and with a declaration signed by all but the inventor Jaswant Virdee. As Mr. Virdee cannot be located, it is requested that this petition be granted.

Appended hereto is a copy of a letter of March 18, 1999 from Geoffrey Chisholm to the undersigned, detailing the efforts undertaken to locate Mr. Virdee. Appended to Mr. Chisholm's letter is the original envelope that was returned by the UK post office, as well as the original documents that were sent to Mr. Virdee and then returned when Mr. Virdee could not be located.

The last known address for Mr. Virdee is as set forth in the appended "Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application".

The appended declaration has, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.47(a), been executed by another of the inventors, Hock Chye Gan, on behalf of Mr. Virdee.

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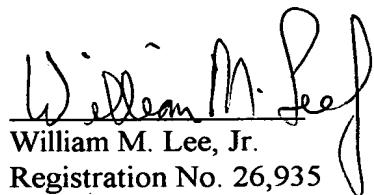
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Finally, submitted herewith is the fee of \$130.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) for this petition. Also submitted herewith is the identical fee of \$130.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.16(e) for late filing of the declaration.

Based upon the information provided, granting of this petition is urged.

May 25, 1999

Respectfully submitted,

  
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